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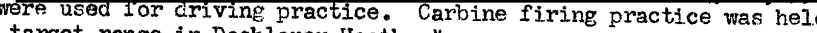
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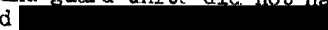
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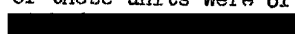

1. Between 26 July and 3 August 1950 the Luftnachrichtenschule and Fliegerhorst Kaserne of Halle (M 52/D 92) were occupied by about 800 troops, 30 to 50 percent of whom were recruits. The troops belonged to rear units and were cadre personnel for training recruits. A tank training unit and a motor transport unit seemed to be in the billeting area. Recruits of the two units were observed at driving practice. Soldiers wore red-bordered black epaulets with artillery, tank and motor transport insignia. T-34 tanks with  and  were used for driving practice. Carbine firing practice was held at the target range in Doehlaer Heath. *

2. The fuel depot was still filled to capacity. One of the three large containers was refueled from tank truck  Garages were still being constructed back of the fuel depot.

3. Trucks  were seen:

4. A small guard detail was still housed in the Flak Kaserne, Woermnitz, between 26 July and 3 August 1950. Recruits or training activities were not observed. Motor vehicles  were seen. **

5. Between 26 July and 3 August 1950 the Kluever Kaserne was occupied by a supply unit, the personnel of which wore blue-bordered black epaulets; a motor transport unit wearing red-bordered black epaulets and a guard unit with red-bordered black epaulets. The supply and guard units did not have motor vehicles but the motor transport unit had  25X1A

25X1A  None of these units were of more than company strength. Besides motor vehicles  trucks  25X1B were observed as they left the Kluever Kaserne loaded with

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furniture. **

6. Between 26 July and 3 August 1950 an MVD unit was still housed in the Reil Kaserne. It appeared that the barracks were not occupied to capacity. Motor vehicles [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] were seen. **

7. On 12 July 1950 an envelope addressed to a soldier of Unit [REDACTED], postmarked 28 June 1950 and examined by Censorship Office A [REDACTED] was found near the Soviet-occupied houses on Hubertus Platz in the area of the Luftnachrichtenschule. ***

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* [REDACTED] Comment. About 300 more soldiers were quartered in the installation than were there in late June and early July 1950. [REDACTED] This increase is possibly due to the arrival or recruits for training.

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* [REDACTED] Comment. No change over previous information. [REDACTED]

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** [REDACTED] Comment. [REDACTED] was last identified on a document from the Fliegerhorst Kaserne, Halle, in December 1949. It probably belongs to a component unit of the 21st Gds Mecz Div.

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